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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re: Application of: Konrad BINKA  
Serial No.: (not yet known)  
Filed: herewith as national phase of International  
Application No. PCT/EP2004/006217, which was  
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For: MECHANICAL LOCKING DEVICE FOR  
CONTACTORS, AND AUXILIARY TOOL  
THEREFOR  
  
Art Unit: (not yet known)  
  
Customer No: 23280

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the following Amendments be made in the above-identified matter prior to examination thereof.